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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
Shigeru YAO et al. ✓)
Application No. 09/539,929 ✓) Group Art Unit: 1771 ✓
Filed: March 31, 2000 ✓) Examiner: L. Roche ✓
For: POROUS INSULATING FILM)
AND ITS LAMINATES)

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated September 5, 2001, Applicants provisionally elect to prosecute Group I claims 1-11.